

REMARKS

Claims 1-11 and 13 have been amended. Claims 1-14 remain in the application.

Claims 1-14 were objected to for various informalities. The claims have been amended to correct these informalities.

It is respectfully submitted that claims 1 and 7 as amended and the claims dependent therefrom are in a condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully solicited.

The Examiner indicated that claims 11-14 are allowable. It was also indicated that claims 4, 5, 8 and 9 were objected to as being dependent upon a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form. The claims have been amended accordingly. Therefore, it is respectfully submitted that claims 4 and 8 and the claims dependent therefrom are in a condition for allowance, which allowance is respectfully solicited. If the Examiner finds to the contrary, it is respectfully requested that the undersigned in charge of this application be called at the telephone number given below to resolve any remaining issues.

Respectfully submitted,

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